## Wilderness Nature Camp



Summer 2006

### Wilderness Nature Camp Registration

Each fun-filled week is \$125. Register by May 1st and save \$10! A limited number of sliding scale fees are available for those who qualify. Extended hours can be added for an extra fee. Fill out the following application and mail to Pioneers Park Nature Center, 2740 "A" Street, Lincoln, NE 68502, with a \$25 non-refundable deposit per session. This deposit is applied toward camp fees. Your child is not registered until we have received both your application and deposit. Upon registration, you will receive a confirmation letter, a waiver/health form and additional parent information. If you have any questions, please contact us at 402-441-7895.





| Camper's Name                             |                                       | Grade Completed              |                                 | Age              | Gender               |  |
|---|---------------------------------------|------------------------------|---------------------------------|------------------|----------------------|--|
| Parent/Guardian Name                      |                                       | Home Phone                   |                                 |                  |                      |  |
| Address                                   | Zip                                   | Work P                       | hone                            |                  |                      |  |
| Medications                               |                                       | Cell Phone                   |                                 |                  |                      |  |
| Allergies, if any?                        | To what_                              |                              |                                 |                  |                      |  |
| Family Physician                          | Physician's Phone                     |                              |                                 |                  |                      |  |
| Special needs or other information        | the staff should                      | know about the child_        |                                 |                  |                      |  |
| Emergency Contact Name                    | Phone (other than parent or guardian) |                              |                                 |                  |                      |  |
| Select Shirt Size: (circle one) You       |                                       |                              |                                 | Adult L          | Adult XL             |  |
| Please check the appropriate session      | for your camper's re                  | egistration: (Early Registra | tion Fee \$115, F               | Regular Registra | ation Fee \$125)     |  |
| June 12-16: Those Amazing Green Machines  |                                       |                              | June 19-23: Winged Wonders      |                  |                      |  |
| June 26-30: It's a Bug's Life             | July 10-14                            | 4: Rock On                   | July 17-21: Hop Slither & Crawl |                  |                      |  |
| (Optional) Extended Hours: AN             | 1 (\$15/week)                         | PM (\$15/week)               | BOTH                            | AM and PM        | 1 (\$25/week)        |  |
| A \$25.00 NON-REFUNDABLE DEPO             | SIT IS REQUIRE                        | ED WITH YOUR REGIS           | TRATION (wi                     | ll be applied t  | o camp fee)          |  |
| Amount Enclosed: \$                       | Remainir                              | ng fees or cancellations mu  | st be received s                | even days befo   | re the camp session. |  |
| Check(made payable to Lincoln Parks & Rec | reation) Credit Card:                 | Visa MC #                    |                                 |                  | Expires              |  |
| Signature of Parent/Guardian              |                                       |                              |                                 | Date             |                      |  |

## Each fun-filled week holds exploration, guest speakers, activities galore, and a field trip!

#### Five Great Sessions!

#### June 12-16: Those Amazing Green Machines

You'll grow your own – so dig in, plant, and water. Branch out and make the acquaintance of the plants of Wildnerness Park. Find out just how useful these green machines can be as you make rope, weave a container, and make a tasty treat.

#### June 19-23: Winged Wonders

Wing it for a week with the birds! Explore how they sing, swim, hammer and hunt. Learn their calls. See them in action during a field trip to Wildwood Lake.

#### June 26-30: It's a Bug's Life

Beetles, dragonflies, mosquitoes and bees. We'll investigate interesting insects including the ones that 'bug' you. You'll dipnet for those that live in water, and maybe even try one for lunch!

#### July 10-14: Rock On

It's an avalanche of fun. Learn about rocks and fossils as you dig, scrape and chisel your way through the week. Search for bones in the creek and find your own treasures on a field trip to Weeping Water.

#### July 17-21: Hop, Slither & Crawl

How far can a frog jump? Do fish wiggle? We'll investigate the weird ways animals move and find out just what a skeleton can do.





#### Camp Information:

- · Located at Wilderness Park, 1st and Park Blvd.
- Monday Friday, 9:00 AM 4:00 PM
- For 6 to 12 year olds
- Snacks, drinks, T-shirt and program supplies provided.
- Children bring lunch each day
- Careful supervison of campers is our number one priority.
- Ratio of campers to counselors is 10 to 1.

Fees: \$125/week/child \$115 if registered by May 1st \$25/week/Junior Counselor

#### Extended Hours:

- Drop off between 7:30 to 8:45 AM
- Pick up between 4:15 to 5:30 PM
- Fee \$15/week for AM or PM only \$25/week for both AM and PM OR daily fee: \$3 for AM or PM
- Involves hands-on crafts, games, or small group activities



#### Junior Counselor Program:

Increase your knowledge of the natural world, develop leadership and team-building skills, learn to lead fun activities. Participants are expected to be responsible and work well with counselors and children. Designed for students entering 7th grade and older, acceptance depends on application, interview and training (May 6, 1:30-4:30 and June 7, 9:30-noon). Call 441-7895 for a packet. *Application deadline is April 3rd*.

We provide a safe, secure environment which accepts, nutures, supports and encourages children as they learn and grow in the outdoors.

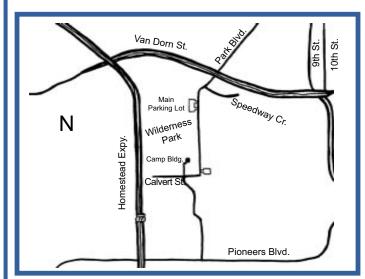
#### **Pioneers Park Nature Center**

**Lincoln Parks & Recreation Department** 

2740 A Street, Lincoln, NE 68502 *Email:* nfurman@lincoln.ne.gov lincoln.ne.gov (keyword: *nature*)

The mission of the Wilderness Nature Camp is to increase children's appreciation and respect for the natural world through fun, hands-on, age-appropriate activities and in-depth exploration and immersion into Nebraska habitats.

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